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## BOGUS CHECK MEN OPERATE WITH CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS.

Attempt to Fake the Aaron Company Out of Good Sum But Were Unsuccessful.

### BOUGHT LOTS OF FURNITURE

And Wanted to Pay for It With Checks of Greater Value Than the Bills Taking the Difference in "Change." Get a Pair of Shoes Free.

The bogus check game has been worked overtime in Connellville during the past few weeks but as yet no arrests have been made. One of the men who is alleged to have lured local dealers by palming off worthless paper, is said to have been standing on Brimstone Corner yesterday in full view of one of his victims and a policeman, yet was permitted to go unmolested. The officer did not know the man was wanted while the victim said nothing simply because another officer happens to be looking for the suspect.

In spite of these failures to land at least one of the offenders in the town, the victims are putting forth the old argument that to publish anything about the matter would give the suspect a chance to escape. The opportunities of working others, who have not been warned of the bogus check operations, were not considered.

Probably the most elaborate scheme to work a local merchant failed because the intended victims were on the alert. On March 1 a well dressed man of 50 or 60 years entered the store of The Aaron Company and selected an entire outfit of furniture for a nice roomed house in Baldwin avenue. Investigation later developed that such a house did not exist. The man gave his name as Thomas Howe and said he had charge of a gang of men who are installing new signals for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. He said he and his wife expected to board the 10 men in the crew and wanted to furnish the house as they would be in this section for some months.

Myer Smith took Howe through the store and goods were ordered to the amount of \$415.25. The man then tendered two checks, drawn on the First National Bank of Hagerstown, Md., in payment. The checks were for \$365 and \$50, leaving a balance of \$39.75 due the purchaser.

Mr. Smith consulted Myer Aaron of the Aaron Company and while Howe waited the Baltimore & Ohio officials were communicated with by telephone. They knew nothing about Howe or his signals. Still fearing to make a mistake and insult the customer, Smith requested that Howe return in the morning and bring the key to the house with him. The Hagerstown bank was then communicated with by telephone and later by mail. It developed that there were no funds in the bank for Howe, but the gentleman did not return.

The day preceding last month's election a well dressed young man came into the shoe store of Niville & Hooper and purchased a pair of shoes for his wife. As they were given him he discovered that his "wife" had gone on to the street car station.

"She's got the pocketbook and if she gets on that car before I reach her I will have to come back tomorrow. I only have a check."

This was the man's explanation and it developed that he possessed a check for \$15 signed by H. C. Greenwald. The paper was apparently genuine and it was accepted, the stranger being given the change. As the banks were closed that day and did not open until the Wednesday following, it was not discovered until two days later that the check was a forgery. A man answering the same description also passed a bogus check on John Barnes at Snyderstown. The man did not cover that he had been molested until he turned the check over to Dull & Company in payment for food and it was later returned as worthless. A man answering the same description also passed a bogus check on John Barnes at Snyderstown. The man did not cover that he had been molested until he turned the check over to Dull & Company in payment for food and it was later returned as worthless.

It is this second man who was seen on the streets yesterday and permitted to escape.

### A Narrow Escape.

Harry Brown, an Old Ridge farmer who lives south of Acme postoffice, near the County Line road, had a narrow escape from death a few days ago when he went into the barn to tie up a bull. The animal turned on him and would have crushed him but for his life against the stall but not the victim's son rushed to his father's rescue with a club with which the bull was beaten off.

### The Weather.

Fair and warmer tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness and warmer, with rain in the afternoon.

### EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE.

Against Foreigner Settled by Payment of Costs.

Paul Yolansky of Lohansburg was arrested Wednesday by Constable William Rind of Dunbar township on a charge of embezzlement preferred by James Cypher, a newsdealer in the West Side. Yolansky was hired by Cypher to sell papers on a commission and failed to turn over to Cypher the amount due him, it is alleged. The case was settled by the defendant paying the costs.

## NEW WATER COMPANY FOR THE YOUGH VALLEY

South Huntington Water Company Incorporated to Supply Smithton and Other Points.

The South Huntington Water Company of Smithton was recently incorporated and will at once begin the construction of a plant to supply water to Smithton, Jacobs Creek and other Youghiogheny river towns. The estimated cost of construction of the plant is \$100,000. The company has purchased land one mile east of Jacobs Creek on Bureau run where the reservoir will be built. The watershed embraces about 600 acres and this entire acreage is free from sulphur or other contaminating ingredients.

The long continued dry spell last summer demonstrated the necessity of impounding cisterns, the river sections seemingly suffering greatest from lack of pure water. Cowan P. Hooper, proprietor of the Big Spring Hotel at Seward, Westmoreland county, was the promoter of the enterprise and holds a "franchise" interest in the venture. He has sold his hotel and should the transfer go through he will take charge of the construction of the plant which will require the services of several hundred men for a year. It is stated by the promoters that it is the purpose of the company to extend the lines to West Newton and other points in the future. All confidence is felt that the supply of good water will be adequate and all wish the company success as its members were reared among the rugged hills whose waters they seek to utilize.

## EVANS WANTS POLICE OFFICE IMPROVED

Will Suggest That the Place Be Made to Look Better to the New Council.

Burgess J. L. Evans will suggest to Town Council the propriety of putting the City Hall in shape since the towns have consolidated. Burgess Solson, during his term, was an advocate of these improvements, but Town Council took no action. Burgess Evans hopes for better success.

The City Hall is in bad shape. It is far from sanitary and the prisoners who spend five days behind the bars are glad to breathe the pure air of freedom when their time is up. The cell departments are foul smelling, poorly ventilated and dingy in the extreme.

Not only does the cell department need renovation but the police court room and Burgess' office are in bad shape. A tile floor is urged by those interested.

## SCHWAB COMES HOME WITH BIG STEEL ORDERS

Said That He Spent a Profitable Time While on Winter Trip Abroad.

NEW YORK, Mar. 5.—Charles M. Schwab, head of the Bethlehem Steel Company, one of the best posted steel manufacturers in the world and former President of the Steel Trust, arrived today from a winter trip abroad, which is reported to have been exceedingly profitable.

Schwab is said to have booked orders from Russia for steel armor plates and other products of his mills that will keep them busy for some time to come. It is believed Schwab will take up at once the question of reducing wages in the steel industry.

Snow is Leaving. With the appearance of the sun at noon the snow is fast disappearing.

### RESENTED INSULT

But Fairmont Man Was Arrested When He Hit Alleged Offender.

UNIONTOWN, Mar. 5.—Resenting an alleged insult to his wife in Carroll's restaurant Thursday evening, John Canfield of Fairmont landed on Charles Butler and both were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct. According to Canfield's story he and his wife were dining at one of the tables in the restaurant and had walked to the cashier's desk to pay their bill, when Butler started a conversation with Canfield. They talked for several minutes when Butler whispered what Canfield states was an uncomplimentary remark about his wife. Mrs. Canfield, who was standing by her husband's side, heard the remark. Canfield handed Butler an upper cut and the blow was returned. Both were arrested. Mrs. Canfield followed her husband to the police station and pleaded for his release, stating that they wished to return to their home in Fairmont, where a sick child awaited them. She left the police station, saying that she would return in a few minutes with money for the necessary forfeit, but she failed to appear.

## MCCORMICK WANTS AN OFFICIAL DOG CATCHER

Will Endeavor to Have the Council Build a Pound and Put All Bad Canines in It.

Greater Connellsville will put on city with a vengeance. Councilman William McCormick has his way. Mr. McCormick is taking up the dog question with great vigor and thinks he has fought for the past two years.

This morning McCormick came down to City Hall with a new idea. He will advocate the establishment of a dog pound, just like they have in the big cities, and thinks one man should be hired as an official dog catcher.

McCormick says the idea of a pound has many advantages over the present system. The police now have practically unlimited authority in killing canines. The Third Ward Councilman says if a pound was established, the law down on them would have a chance for freedom. He argues that these dogs could be kept for a couple of days, giving their owners an opportunity to recover them.

Another feature McCormick uses in support of his suggestion is that a small percentage of dogs are taxed. With a pound, the stray canines could be rounded up and if worth anything, their owners would be required to pay the dog tax levied against them.

## PERFECT TELEPHONE SYSTEM NOW OPERATING

West Penn Makes Slight Change in Its Line Bringing It Up to High Standard.

The most complete telephone system of any electric road in Pennsylvania is being operated by the West Penn. With more than 300 miles of line and over 40 stations, the system is practically complete. It is working at all hours as but recently a night dispatcher has been placed in the service. These dispatchers, in addition to operating the telephone lines, have charge of the high tension distribution. The phone lines are in a loop, following the territory covered by the West Penn.

The Transmission Department of the West Penn is being moved from the building in Connellsville to offices in the power house. Superintendent Jenks and his assistants will make their headquarters at the power house in the future.

## ROOSEVELT TO SAIL FOR ITALY MARCH 23

Former President, Through the Press, Thanks All for Messages of Good Cheer.

United Press Telegram. OYSTER BAY, Mar. 5.—Former President Theo. Roosevelt announced this afternoon he will sail for Naples March 23, on the Hamburg-American liner which leaves on that date for Gibraltar and Naples.

He states he would like to personally acknowledge all the messages of good cheer and good luck that have come to him and desires to acknowledge them through the press and thank the senders.

Borough Battle Empty. For the first time in several weeks the borough battle is empty. The last prisoner was turned out this morning and until the police make some arrests the cells will have no occupants.

To Visit Arsenal. The Brownsville Mining Institute will visit the Pittsburgh Experiment Station, March 13.

## HENDERSON TOLD TO PROSECUTE.

Court Hands Down Order in Cases Against Alleged Jail Offenders.

### MANY COUNTS IN INDICTMENTS

Grand Jury Returns Several True Bills and Ignores a Few—No Court Before Judge Umbel and Trivial Case in No. 1 Room.

UNIONTOWN, March 5.—The court handed down an order this morning permitting District Attorney Davis W. Henderson to appear as the prosecutor against William Cunningham, John Doyle and John Bingard, the cases growing out of the jail investigation. These indictments will be taken before the Grand Jury at the present term.

There are 27 counts against Cunningham, ranging from statutory rape to furnishing liquor, while the liquor charge is made against Doyle and Bingard.

There is no court today before Judge Umbel while this morning before Judge Van Swarden was taken up in the suit of the Keystone Lumber Company against Dr. S. D. Woods to recover \$11.00.

A suit was entered this morning by L. R. Leichter to recover \$80 for a horse from J. Davis. Leichter says he sold the horse in July and Davis promised to give him two notes in payment which was never done.

The Grand Jury returned the following true bills: Andy Hazon, obstructing an officer and unlawful battery; John Beaur, fornicator; Samuel Hardy, Albert Harty and John Gray and Charles Lowry, larceny; Pasquale Ferranelli, concealing weapons; Paddy Murphy, assault and battery; Smith Cunningham, breaking and entering; William Gillespie and Major D. Holly, breaking and entering; Albert McLean, desertion; non-support; William and Mary Paul, larceny; Mike Dineen, breaking and entering; S. B. Whipple, keeping a disorderly house; S. B. Whipple, larceny; Frank Cole, assault and battery; W. A. Colnett, fornicator; A. Jackson Stewart, aggravated assault and battery; David McLean, assault with intent; Lewis Moskin, larceny.

## GREAT ACTIVITY AT THE MARIANNA MINE

Increased Equipment Means a Largely Increased Coal Output at New Famous Mine.

John H. Jones, President of the Pittsburgh-Buffalo Coal Company, inspected the Marianna mine yesterday. It is stated that the Marianna mine will within a few days become the scene of the greatest activity of any mine in Western Pennsylvania. The output of the mine, it is reported, will be doubled within a month.

Twenty-two mining machines arrived this week and will be placed at once. Fifty old machines were ordered turned. Fifty more entries will be driven in the mine and the workings of the colliery will thereby be greatly enlarged. Since March 1, 150 additional miners were put to work and it is expected that 100 more will be employed this week.

A large order of new conveying machinery has also arrived and will be installed as rapidly as possible.

During the past week orders were received for 250,000 tons of coal, all of which will probably be furnished by the Marianna mine. These orders, with additional ones, expected within a few days, mean steady employment for hundreds of men during the year. The present output of the mine is about 500 tons, but before the end of the present month the output will have been increased to 1,000 tons.

### \$3.95 A WEEK TO LIVE.

Per Capita Cost at Polk Institution Lower Than at Other Institutions.

FRANKLIN, Pa., March 5.—In the biennial report of the Institution for Feeble Minded at Polk, this county, it is shown that the per capita cost of maintaining the 1,200 inmates is lower than that of any other State institution. It was \$3.95 a week, a decrease of 25 cents a week. On this point the trustees say: "We feel certain that if, in the wisdom of the Legislature, this institution could be equipped with sufficient additional buildings to accommodate about double its present population the per capita expense to the State could be very materially reduced." The trustees say it is one of their aims to establish a model farm at the institution. It is the intention to as nearly as possible place under cultivation every part of the landed possessions.

### FOR MILITARY COMPANY.

Effort Being Made to Organize One at Somerset.

The State military authorities intend to enlarge the Tenth Regiment of the Second Brigade from a two-battalion to a three-battalion regiment, which will increase the enrollment from eight to twelve companies. An effort will be made to supply one of these companies at Somerset, and from the interest taken in the movement at its inception, there is little doubt that the required number of volunteers can be obtained.

A petition to the authorities is being circulated, and it will be filed with the State Department within a short time. The Second Brigade will encamp at Somerset next summer, and this will inspire renewed military activity in that section.

The gentlemen at the head of the movement to establish a military company at Somerset are Messrs. Norman E. Berkeley, Samuel Crouse and Will Swank, and it is probable they will be the commissioned officers. The gentlemen have received assurance that the company will be mustered into the guard before the next summer's encampment.

## HEALTH OFFICER HYATT VISITS THE WEST SIDE

Finds Sanitary Condition Bad Across the River—Begins to Lay Down the Law.

Health Officer Allen Hyatt has made a start on the West Side and found things far from satisfactory. He expresses his opinion that conditions are far from sanitary. Mr. Hyatt expects to spend considerable time on the West Side and hopes to see his laborer's result in improved sanitation. His report on the recent visit across the Youghiogheny is as follows:

"I find a great many things to be done on the West Side before that section can be considered in a sanitary condition. Many alleys are unsanitary while garbage and waste is being dumped in the river, contrary to law. There are also pools of stagnant water in the alleys which should be drained.

"Many closets must be cleaned out while the practice of dumping garbage, waste paper and other useless substances on vacant alleys must stop. Neither shall garbage be burned within the borough limits.

"Contagious diseases must be reported to the Health Department of the borough to prevent its spreading to other families. The milk dealers must also conform with the borough regulations."

Health Officer Hyatt says there is a mountain of work to be done on the West Side and intimates that the Board of Health of New Haven borough was not very active in its declining days. Mr. Hyatt's activity on the West Side will, of course, be contingent upon his resignation as Health Officer of the borough.

## ELEVATOR IN NEW BUILDING TO START

Electric Power is Now Being Installed and It Will Soon Be in Operation.

Electric light power is now being supplied the new Second National Bank building and it is expected that within a short time the new high speed elevator will be in operation.

The elevator in the new skyscraper will be the fastest in this section. It will be operated by electricity and will have a speed of 300 feet a minute. This is at the rate of five feet a second, which is going some.

Compared with the other elevators of town the new one will be fast as lightning. The present elevators save steps, but not time, as it is possible to walk up the stairs of the buildings as fast as the elevator can travel.

## FIRST SATURDAY NIGHT POP AT Y. M. C. A.

Will Be Given by the Association Orchestra and Promises to Be an Interesting One.

Tomorrow night at 8:15 in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, will be held the first of a series of "Saturday Night Pops" for the entertainment of the general public. It will be given by the Association orchestra, which has been practicing for several months with this in view.

A great deal of interest has been manifested by the fellows in their weekly drills and close application to their work has given them a degree of efficiency that is most commendable.

In addition to the orchestra selections, there will be vocal and instrumental solos. A general admission of ten cents will be charged.

## BUSINESS MEN TALK ABOUT ANNUAL PICNIC AT MEETING.

Representatives of Four Parks Appear and Endeavor to Have the Association Select Place.

### 18 SLEEPERS.

Befers Burgess J. L. Evans, Who Examined Them This Morning.

There were no prisoners in police court this morning but Burgess J. L. Evans looked over the 18 sleepers who sought refuge in the police station over night. Seven also applied for lodging at the West Side station during the night. All were discharged. Since assuming office Burgess Evans has not had a single prisoner before him for trial.

## INVESTIGATING CHARGES AGAINST HOSPITAL HEADS

President Torrence Hears Complaints Against Greensburg Authorities As To Conduct.

GREENSBURG, Mar. 5.—Francis J. Torrence of Pittsburg, President of the State Board of Charities, is conducting an investigation at the Westmoreland Hospital today of charges made by Drs. Porter and Cole, of Greensburg, Caven of Youngwood, and Wilson of Jeannette, against the management of the institution, based principally on the conduct of the house physician, Miss Foust is superintendent of the hospital and Dr. Hamill house physician. Mr. Torrence is accompanied by Col. Robert W. Herbert of Greensburg, general agent of the State Board of Charities, and the board's stenographer.

It seems the charges were made to the staff, which investigated them and exonerated those accused. The staff finding was approved by the board of directors of the hospital. Then the complainants took an appeal, carrying their charges to the State Board which is now investigating them. The hearing is public, but no evidence is given under oath. President Torrence's finding will be made later, as he will want to go over the testimony after the transcription of the stenographer's notes.

## PRESIDENT TAFT DOWN TO BUSINESS

Sends Cabinet List to Senate and Gives Lobb Fat Job in New York. Knox On Hand.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 5.—President Taft took possession of the Executive offices at fully as early an hour as his predecessor ever did, sitting down to his desk just at 9:30 this morning. His first work was to send out to the Senate, which met in special session pursuant to a call issued by President Roosevelt on Monday, a list of his Cabinet, which he wanted confirmed without delay.

With the list of Cabinet officers was also sent the name of William Lobb, Jr., to be Collector of the Port of New York. Former Senator Knox was on hand when Taft appeared and they had a conference over the work that should be done immediately.

The weather is clear today and snow in the streets is melting rapidly.

## RESIGNS RATHER THAN PROSECUTE PUBLISHER

District Attorney Keating of Indianapolis Hands Out Slap at Past Administration.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 5.—Joseph B. Keating, United States District Attorney at Indianapolis, has tendered his resignation to the Attorney General rather than prosecute Delavan Smith and Charles B. Williams, proprietors of the Indianapolis News, upon orders from the Administration.

In a letter to the Attorney General, Keating asserts he is not in accord with the Government in its attempt to put a strident construction on the law to drag the defendants from their homes to the seat of Government to be tried and punished, while there is good and sufficient law in this jurisdiction in the State courts.

Did Not Have a Case.

The sensational prosecution against Dr. W. S. Mountain and Klieze Thrasher of Confluence, charging them with a grave crime, did not get farther than the Grand Jury, as had been freely predicted. When all the witnesses had been heard and without any contradiction by the defendants, the Grand Jury ignored the bill. The motive of the prosecution has not been disclosed.

New Theatre Managers.

William Bettler and David Schoepf have taken charge of the Byrie Theatre on North Pittsburg street and will conduct it in the future. The new managers will introduce many new features to the pretty playhouse, and improve it in every way.

### SHADY GROVE IN RUNNING

Matter Will Not Be Decided for Two Weeks When Another Meeting Will Be Held—Choice Appears to Lie Between Olympia and Kennwood.

The business men are looking ahead to the balmy days of summer as the question of the annual picnic was taken up at last night's meeting of the Merchants' Association. Four parks are after the honor of entertaining the Connellsville merchants: Olympia, Kennwood, Rock Point and Shady Grove. O. C. Hartley of McKeesport and A. H. McSwigan of Pittsburg were on hand in the interests of Olympia and Kennwood, while the propositions of Rock Point and Shady Grove were presented in writing.

The selection of the park was held over for two weeks, until the next regular meeting, although there was some discussion over the matter last night. Superintendent J. W. Brown of the West Penn was with O. C. Hartley to put in a boost for Olympia Park.

It is said that the choice of a park lies between Olympia and Kennwood, with odds favoring the former. Kennwood was tried for the first time last year and was not altogether satisfactory because Pittsburg was too convenient. Scores of picnickers who went from here took a run into the Smoky City and saw the ball game instead of waiting to hear the speeches and having the time of their lives on the grounds. This is the principal objection urged against Kennwood.

Three years in succession the merchants went to Olympia park and each time they were satisfied. It is believed that Olympia would receive a "vote" of approbation from those who patronize the excursions.

The West Penn is spending considerable money on Olympia park this year for improvements and say it will be better than ever. The matter will be threshed out two weeks from now and fully determined.

## TRAINS FROM EAST MANY HOURS LATE

Some of Them Fall So Far Behind the Schedule That They Are Abandoned.

Yesterday's storm in the East did great damage to the railroads and caused much delay to traffic. The effects of the storm were felt here because of the late trains for the West. Train No. 6, the Chicago express, due to leave here for Pittsburg at 8:05 P. M., did not arrive until 2 o'clock this morning, while the morning express and the Duquesne Limited were abandoned. No. 45, the oyster train, was behind schedule and ran from here to Pittsburg as No. 5. The Duquesne Limited, No. 11, was amalgamated with No. 47 between Cumberland and Pittsburg and arrived here about five hours late.

No. 15 yesterday afternoon was abandoned although a "messenger" was sent out of Cumberland which made schedule time. Trains on the Connellsville division were hauled with dispatch. The five inches of snow at Sand Patch did not impede progress.

While under any circumstances yesterday's storm at Washington would have caused trouble for the railroads, the situation was accentuated because it was the first time a heavy rush of traffic was handled at the Union station. The snow and sleet clogged the switches in the mainmoth yards about the station and made it practically impossible to move trains in or out for hours at a time.

### Moved to Ursina.

Harry L. Campbell, who has been in the offices of the Somerset Coal Company for the last three years, resigned his position, with that company in order to go with the Huff Coal Company, whose headquarters are at Ursina. Mr. Campbell went to Ursina this week. He has formed a number of acquaintances at Somerset who will regret his departure. Mr. Campbell was associated with several orders and took an active part in baseball and other athletic sports.

### New Theatre Managers.

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# The News of Nearby Towns.

## DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, March 5.—Mrs. C. D. Kimball was shopping in Connelville on Thursday.

James Wolford of Mt. Pleasant, was here on Thursday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelley and son Snyder of Vanderbilt were here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kelly.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Lockemy, on Railroad street. A full membership was present and a most interesting meeting held. At the close of the business meeting, a social hour was served by the hostess.

Misses Mary and Agnes Courtney were the guests of friends at Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Mrs. John Robbins and daughter, Miss Marie, accompanied by friends in Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Proprietor Frank McFarland of the Central Hotel, accompanied by his wife, left for Washington, D. C., where they attended the inauguration services.

Miss Rebecca Deaton, who has been the guest of friends at Vanderbilt for the past few days, returned home Wednesday.

Henry Goldsmith, the insurance man of Connelville, was here Wednesday transacting business.

Mrs. George W. Knowles and sister, Miss Mary Stewart, left on Wednesday for Ohio, where they will be the guests of relatives and friends for a few days.

Arthur K. Knott of Uniontown, was here on Thursday attending to business matters.

Joseph Barnes and son left Wednesday evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration.

The J. H. Junk is suffering from a sprained ankle received while alighting from a train car on his way down the mountain from Centre Furnace to the Furnace.

Leonard Ketchner, assistant superintendent of the Dunbar Furnace Company, left on Wednesday evening for Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration.

Mrs. Blanche Kelly and daughter, Miss Blanche, spent Wednesday the guests of relatives and friends in Uniontown.

Miss Ben Williams, who has been the guest of friends and relatives here for the past few days, left Thursday for her home in Uniontown.

D. M. Jacobs was transacting business in Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah Stauffer, who has been visiting friends and relatives here for the past few days, left Thursday for her home in Uniontown.

Miss Marie Brown of Uniontown, was here the guest of friends on Thursday.

Postmaster William C. Smith was a business caller in Uniontown Thursday.

Miss Alva Bowman was the guest of friends in Connelville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Wiest of Uniontown were the guests of friends in Pittsburgh.

Harry Cole was a business caller in Mt. Pleasant Thursday.

Mrs. D. T. Shumaker of the West Side, Connelville, was here on Thursday calling on friends.

## ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, March 5.—G. H. Ash of East Brandywine, is seriously ill at his home, suffering from pleuro-pneumonia. He is also suffering from a nervous collapse.

Charles Steiner, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Steiner of Rockwood, was married last Saturday at Connelville. The groom is well known here, having at one time been employed here for more than a year.

R. C. O. Patterson, E. P. Ludwig, who is stationed at this place, was sent to Washington to do secret service work under Captain Horn during the inauguration.

The Rockwood Branch Council met on Monday night and reported as follows: President, J. D. Snyder; Treasurer, E. B. Sullivan; Clerk, Herbert Foster. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, March 10th, at 8 o'clock. After a busy session the body, including the retiring members, reported to the officers where they were banqueted by Burgess P. F. Wolmer. A very enjoyable time was had.

Mrs. Henry Mohrholder is a guest this week of her sister, Mrs. Gross, of McKeesport.

W. H. Oberholzer and David I. Miller, who had gone to Rockwood, Pa., to look up a bunch of horses, have returned home.

John M. Wolfenbarger, who has gone to the Kellam hospital at Richmond, Va., to be treated for a sore throat, has returned home, completely cured.

## PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 5.—Mrs. Isaac Blair entertained the W. T. U. and a number of the lady folks, about 60 in number, at her home on Columbia street last evening between the hours of 7:30 and 10:30. A short program was rendered and the delicious lunch served by the hostess climaxed the evening.

Frank Reed was transacting business in Connelville last evening.

Mr. E. F. Hunsicker, daughter, Gertrude, are attending the funeral of a relative in Monaca, City today.

I. S. Blair will leave for Iowa next week where he will spend a few weeks with his aunt.

The so-called disease, such as the measles, mumps and chicken-pox, are in our midst and among the unfortunate ones at this writing are: Miss Eleanor Leitch, supervisor; Mrs. Anna Martin, chieftain; Philip Allen, warden, and Mrs. J. H. Enlow, no improvement.

Miss Jennie Snyder, who conducts a military store in Rockwood, left for home this morning after spending several days with Prof. and Mrs. J. Duell Snyder.

## STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, March 5.—Harry Bitter of this place is visiting in Connelville and Scotland today.

The business callers in town yesterday were: Prof. Glass of Pittsburgh; Thomas McFarland of Dunbar; J. H. Snyder of Pittsburgh, and John Armstrong of Flatwoods.

Mrs. Dr. Cochran was visiting at her home in Dawson yesterday.

Katie Dunn is ill.

## TWO WOMEN SIGNALLY HONORED AT PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION.



The gown Mrs. Taylor wore at the inauguration ceremony yesterday was of heavy crepe de chine of the shade known as Victoria. The skirt was severely plain and the coat trimmed with silver. Her tall gown was of crepe de chine in white chiffon embroidered with gold-colored thread in crystals and threads of silver. Mrs. Sherman's ball gown was of white satin and lace embroidered in silver and crystal.

## CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, March 5.—Little Wilbert Funkin, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia the past week, is slowly improving.

H. R. Watson is having quite a bit of repairs done on his dwelling on Young street, West Confluence.

E. J. McDonald is doing some papering in the A. G. Black property, West street.

John Hays was given a very pleasant surprise party Tuesday evening. The affair was neatly arranged by a number of his friends and the evening was delightfully spent, the chief amusement was dancing. Miss Blanche Hays furnished music on the piano. Among the number present were the Misses Oma Mitchell, Margaret Swann, Laura Marquardt, and the Messrs. John Hays, Patrick Hogan, Elliott Hogg, Charles Humber, and Bert Froelichman.

R. Annapack made a business trip to Pittsburgh one day this week.

City Clerk went to Washington Tuesday night to attend the inauguration.

Mrs. Ed. Black went to Connelville Wednesday to spend a few days with Mrs. A. D. Kirtz.

Mr. Frank Smith and two children left on train for Uniontown to visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Claude Davis of Uniontown, passed through town yesterday.

John Purnell of Uniontown, has taken charge of the first art mill here. He expects to move his family here in a short time.

Bruce Hiteham has accepted a position in the first liverie stable here.

Miss Evelyn Greer has been seriously ill for several weeks and is reported, no better.

The first school teacher, Miss Lora McCartney, organized a literary society Tuesday evening. Quite a number from Charleston and Confluence joined. They will meet in the school building every Monday evening.

Mrs. Belle Woodmansey is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. William Anderson, of near town.

Mrs. Elmer Greer of Connelville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Greer.

A. G. Black put a new plate glass front in his dry goods store on Main street.

F. E. Vincent, B. & O. operator at Rockwood, went to California, Pa., Monday evening and arrived in Uniontown on the late Dr. News, and returned home Wednesday.

Jack Glass of Henry Clay township, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Miss Jessie Wilkins of Addison, was the guest of Mrs. W. B. Pullin several days this week.

John Rush of Rockwood, was calling on friends in town several days this week.

June Fern Bird has been ill for several days.

## SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, March 5.—Scott Giff and William Britt left for Washington, D. C., last evening.

W. P. Brown, Connelville; J. A. Rogers, Latrobe; W. C. Goetz, Pittsburgh; N. A. Section, Philadelphia; Charles Binkley, Fairbairn, were present at Black's Hotel yesterday.

Frank Nick was a business caller at Greensburg yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Banford and daughter, Mrs. Ruth W. Wier, were here visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stauffer.

Mrs. Elmer Hiteham and daughter, Miss Mary and Alice, and Mrs. James Med. Bryson and daughter, Miss Gail, will sail Saturday next from New York for Jamaica, where they expect to spend a month.

Rev. Mr. Haines returned to his home in Uniontown last evening, after a short visit with relatives at New Jersey.

## BROWNSVILLE.

BROWNSVILLE, March 5.—G. W. Conn left this morning for Washington where he will remain until after the inauguration.

Miss Emily Sals of Coal Center spent the day in town among friends.

N. C. Clark of Connelville was here today on business.

A. A. Scott and G. H. Burnetts of Blairsville were seen in town today.

E. J. Roberts of Rice's Landing, spent today among Brownsville friends.

J. McKinsie of Uniontown was seen here today.

H. P. Huff of Williamsport was a business caller in town today.

G. J. Johnson of Connelville was in town Tuesday on business.

H. H. Davis of Washington was seen in town Tuesday on business.

The Girard Hotel has been greatly improved in appearance, one improvement is a complete painting of the exterior.

B. D. Ohey and family have returned from Atlantic City where they have spent a few days.

A. Miller of Patton was in town on business Thursday.

W. H. Matthews of California was visiting relatives in town today.

G. G. Paul was here from New Salem on business today.

J. W. Krapner and J. J. Denny of Uniontown were seen in town today.

Friends of Mrs. F. B. Thomsen of South Brownsville are glad to hear that she has much improved and is expected home soon.

## SPRUCE HOLLOW.

SPRUCE HOLLOW, March 5.—John W. Moody and daughter, who have been in California for about four months, returned to the valley last Friday.

Miss Carrie Swink and Miss Ruth Whipple were visiting at the Pleasant Valley school Monday.

Charles Smith and G. P. Geary were business callers in Uniontown Monday.

The funeral of the two months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Moody took place last Sunday afternoon. Interment in Mt. Olive cemetery.

Harrison Behard was in Connelville and Whelan on business Thursday.

Cyrus Shultz and Anzi, Rice were in Connelville Wednesday.

Strachan Turley, daughter, Lucy, Irene and Eva, and son Richard, of West Overton, were here on Sunday attending the funeral of William Moody's child.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shultz is seriously ill with brain fever.

The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. George Billing was buried at Mt. Olive cemetery on Thursday.

The Rev. Sago will preach at Gony schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Have you tried our classified ads? Only one cent a word.

## MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, March 5.—Elmer Deaton of Stauffer, died at his home in that place, Thursday, aged 30 years. Death was caused by paralysis. For many years Mr. Deaton was blind having lost his sight in an accident in the mines. He was also a musician. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Miss Sarah Deaton. Funeral will take place from his late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the local cemetery.

The first section trapped by snow was that of a 1.50 to five days in the borough, as a suspicious change was wandering around on the back streets of town and as his appearance were so much like that of a great species of the Orange-colored, which citizens requested that he be made. Police Officer Keller arrested him later but not without a long and noisy scene. He was seen coming hurried to make his escape. He was put to work on the street cleaning the grounds and sidewalks.

The local High School basketball team went to Greensburg last evening and were defeated by their fellow students of that place in a closely played game by the score of 34 to 17. Hawkins, the local center, was in great disadvantage for the High School.

Dr. J. M. Pratt and wife will leave for Philadelphia, Friday, where they will consult a specialist as to the health of Mr. Pratt. Following this they will spend a year's vacation before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reilly of Connelville, will remove from their former home to this place today, where he has accepted a position on the B. & O. railroad.

Mrs. James P. Fuller returned to her home here today after a few days' visit with her parents at Somerset.

Miss Edna Hays of Uniontown, was calling on her friend, Miss French, at her College Avenue home.

Messrs. M. H. Hays, Charles H. Finner and Edward Sherick were business callers at Pittsburgh yesterday.

Miss M. Hays of Bridgeport street, was calling on relatives in Uniontown Thursday.

Messrs. Elmer Fox, Harry Newell, James Cropper, G. A. Hays and Henry Witt were business callers at Greensburg yesterday.

Mrs. Elmer Hays of Scotland, was calling on relatives in town yesterday.

Miss Vergie Spanza was a caller at Greensburg Thursday evening.

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## OHIOVILLE.

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Mrs. Caroline Miller of Connelville, was on a visit with Mrs. J. C. Colburn.

William Gifford, merchant of Garrett street, was transacting business in Connelville Thursday.

W. S. Leach is a business caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Mayne Camp spent Thursday evening with relatives and friends in Connelville.

Miss Emma Anderson of Bear Run, was the guest of relatives and friends in town last evening.

Louis Harbaugh of Kentucky was a business caller in town Thursday.

## BELLEVERNON.

BELLEVERNON, March 5.—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kittle were at Pittsburgh Wednesday.

Miss Clark Corwin of Morgantown, W. Va. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Guy Bradley.

Miss E. M. Cleason is visiting at Charleroi today.

Austin Sley, who has been at the hospital for some time, was brought home today, somewhat improved, but still in a very bad condition.

Miss Eunice Hudson is reported to be much improved in health.

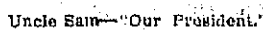
Mrs. E. L. Thomas of McKeesport is visiting friends in town.

Miss Alberta Beckett is on the sick list.

## Library Notes.

Some of the articles of interest in a few of the magazines on the tables of the public library are: "The American Home and Garden: Notes for winter: Homes of American artists; The railway and the garden; Giant leaves; A French model dairy; Architects and Builders Magazine; National City Bank; New York city; The republic of the future; The American Review; The Empire Dwarves of China and her court; Senator Platt's reminiscences; The comedy; A chronicle of new plays; Country Life in America; The human body of Margaret Deland; What England can teach us about her garden; Trained fruit trees; as a hobby; Perennials for a thought-out garden; The migration of birds in America; The migration of annulids; Little's Living Age; War at the present time; Milton's Dante; Messias; Bird migration in winter; The American Review; The Empire Dwarves of China and her court; Senator Platt's reminiscences; The comedy; A chronicle of new plays; Country Life in America; The human body of Margaret Deland; What England can teach us about her garden; 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## BALL CONCLUDES INAUGURAL DAY.

Fireworks Near Monument  
Entertain Those on  
Outside.

### MRS. TAFT IN HANDSOME GOWN

Despite the Most Inclement Weather  
the Various Functions Incident  
Upon the Formal Ceremony Were  
Brought Off According to Program.

Washington, March 5.—President and Mrs. Taft were the centers of interest at the culminating feature of a memorable day—the inaugural ball in the pension building. The scene in the cavernous building, which had been transformed into a splendid court of ivory and white, was another of the brilliant pictures which are quadrantly painted here by the gathering of a vast and brilliant assemblage from every section of the country. With all the color and movement of a military spectacle, with the softening influence of delicately tinted gowns and the interest of a personal presence equalled at a social function, the inaugural ball holds a place unique in the history making of the day.

Mrs. Taft's gown was one of the handsomest models ever seen in Washington. A severely plain underdress of heavy white satin formed the foundation. Over this was draped with consummate skill the gown of white chiffon, on which an exquisite pattern of golden rod, the national color, was embroidered in silver. The golden rod design was repeated in the brocade of the long court train. Point lace formed the sleeves and served to trim the décolletage. She wore a pearl collar and a diamond earring in her hair.

Miss Helen Taft wore a girlish gown of white embroidered mousseline de sole, made with extreme simplicity. Known of pale blue ribbon gave an artistic touch to the frock. Her abundant light hair was simply coiled and she wore no jewelry.

While the ball was in progress a display of fireworks on the monument lot in the rear of the White House marked the end of the outdoor celebration. For hours the thinly clouded heavens were alight with screaming rockets, with sun clusters that charged the brilliance of day, with stars "cobras" and all the fantastic creations of modern pyrotechnic skill. Aerial salutes, "flocking" fountains, illuminated balloons and scores of other features made the display visible from one end of the capital city to the other.

Prior to his visit to the ball, President Taft had entertained at ten in the White House the members of the Yale club; had dinner with Mrs. Taft at 7 o'clock and had stepped in at the Metropolitan club to say a few words at the dinner of the class of '78 at Yale.

The president and his family returned to the White House as they had come, in his new automobile. Those who occupied the president's box were: President Taft's three brothers and their families; the Hon. Vice President and Mrs. Sherman, Governor Harmon of Ohio and Senator Bradley of Kentucky.

### SENATE MEETS TODAY

To Confirm Cabinet Appointments of President Taft.

Washington, March 5.—The sixtieth congress met today at noon and adjourned at 10 o'clock followed by the Vice President and Mrs. Sherman. By this time the hall was so crowded that only a small space at one end could be kept clear for dancing.

Although a part of the gallery near the president's box had been reserved for the distinguished guests, diplomatic and other officials mingled with those on the floor.

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Women Progress in Nebraska. Lincoln, Neb., March 5.—The Nebraska house by the necessary two-thirds vote of 22 to 14 passed the Howard bill substituting a constitutional amendment permitting women to vote at all elections.

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### WRITES ON JOURNALISM

Roosevelt's First Editorial in the Outlook a Searcher.

New York, March 5.—The first editorial article from the pen of ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, which appears in the March issue of the Outlook, deals with the subject of "Journalism." It says in part:

"Every owner, editor or reporter of a conscientious newspaper is an asset of real value to the community. We have many newspapers, big and little, of this kind. But we also have many that are emphatically not of this kind."

"During the last few years it has become evident that certain newspapers are controlled by men who have gained wealth in evil fashion, who do violence to honest public opinion and who find an instrument in the purchased mendacity of those who edit and write for such papers."

Mr. Roosevelt then pays his respects to the "apostrophe of that hideous yellow journalism, which defiles the cult of the mendacious, the sensational and the insane." In conclusion he refers to "another type of temptation which has much fascination for men of cultivation, and which is quite as fatal to their usefulness as yellow journalism."

He says of these: "A newspaper which avoids vulgar sensationalism, which appeals to people of taste and intelligence, may nevertheless do them grave harm and be within its own rather narrow limits an element of serious mischief. For it may habitually and consistently practice a malign and slanderous untruthfulness which, though more refined, is as immoral as sensationalism."

"A cultivated man of good intelligence who has acquired the knack of saying bitter things, but who lacks the robustness to feel at ease among men of action is apt, if his nature has anything of meanness or untruthfulness, to sit in cloistered aloofness and to endeavor by an unceasing output of slander to bolster up his own uneasy desire to be considered superior."

### SEVEN MEN HANG TODAY

Six Die For Murder and One For Criminal Assault.

Baton Rouge, La., March 5.—Today is hangman's day in Louisiana. Six men executed on the gallows the crime of murder. One was hanged for criminal assault. All are negroes.

Eight prisoners were to have been executed, but Governor Sanders granted a reprieve to one of this number.

### FEATHER GIVEN

#### VERDICT FOR \$3,520

Is Successful in His Action  
Against Charles  
Duggan.

### COURT LIST DISPOSED OF

One Case Remains to Be Disposed Of.  
A Number of Cases Have Been Settled—One Defendant Is Held to Be in Contempt By Court.

UNIONTOWN, Mar. 5.—After being out almost five hours, the jury in the case of James I. Feather, against Charles Duggan, returned a verdict yesterday afternoon for \$3,520 in favor of the plaintiff, being the fact of the \$2,000 note and interest for about 12 years.

This is the case wherein the defendant, Duggan, set up the claim that the note was given with the understanding that if he were granted a license for the Victoria Hotel, New Haven, the note was to be paid. He said his understanding was that in the event of the court's failure to grant the license, which was the case in this matter, the note was to be destroyed.

Arguments were made to the jury yesterday morning and interest was intense after the case was up to the jury. Shortly before 1 o'clock, the jury came in for instructions as to the computing of the interest. The court instructed them that this matter lay entirely with them. Not long thereafter the jury came in with the verdict.

With the exception of one case on trial and one yet to be heard, the list for the present week of court has been disposed of. All jurors not seated in cases were excused yesterday with the thanks of the court from further duty.

The case still on the list is that of Charles F. Held against Thomas H. Thompson.

In the case of Silverman & Tones against Kinsbury Brothers, a voluntary non-suit was taken.

The cases of L. Barth & Son against

J. C. Boutros and others and of the Scottsdale Foundry & Machine Company against Adam Decker were reported settled.

Andy Minowark was yesterday adjudged in contempt of court and an attachment was issued for his arrest with instructions to have him lodged in the county jail until he purges himself of the contempt.

Minowark is the defendant in an equity action brought by Joseph Andreck in which the plaintiff asked for an accounting of a business in which they are partners. Minowark failed to answer and an order was made compelling him to file the account. Later, contempt proceedings were started, but the court granted him an extension until March 1. When he again failed to respond to the court's order, attorneys for the plaintiff, L. O. Chappening and S. J. Morrow, yesterday petitioned for order adjudging him in contempt, which was granted.

The officers of Smithfield borough having failed at the election in February to select a high constable, a number of citizens of that borough yesterday petitioned the court to appoint Ray Sutton to fill the vacancy until the next local election. This petition was granted.

W. B. Paqudy pleaded guilty to a charge of selling liquor illegally, procured by County Detective Alex. McBeth.

Milford Shipley pleaded guilty to the theft of journal brass from railroads in Connellyville. Shipley was called for trial in December court, but failed to appear.

The court made an order yesterday allowing E. T. Chamberlain \$187.20 as stenographer's fees for taking testimony in the cases against Cunningham and Hock, before Squire J. P. Donaldson, for one day in court and for other work in the same connection for Commonwealth's Attorney D. W. McDonald.

Letters of administration upon the estate of Hannah J. Guller, who died at her home in Bellevue, October 19, 1908, were granted yesterday to Elmer J. Guller, a son, bond in the sum of \$100 being furnished with S. J. Morrow and E. T. Chamberlain as sureties. The estate is valued at \$1,250, while the heirs are three sons, two daughters, a granddaughter and two grandsons.

Secure Steamship Tickets Now. Book your passage now with the Foreign Department of the First National Bank of Connellyville, if you are going abroad this summer.

## SOME BEAUTIES OF WASHINGTON SOCIETY WHO ADDED TO CHARM OF INAUGURAL BALL.



WASHINGTON, Mar. 5.—The inaugural ball last night was the most brilliant event of its kind ever held at the Capital, the striking features being the large number of beautiful women in attendance and the elaborate nature of their toilets. Miss Katherine Elkins was one of the most interesting figures at the ball. Miss Elkins wore white satin, rare lace and pearls. Miss Wilson, daughter of the Secretary of Agriculture, was resplendent in a gown of blue velvet embroidered with pearls and turquoise. Some other rich gowns were those worn by Mrs. Childner C. Kins, Mrs. Sherill Shuman, daughter-in-law of the Vice President; Mrs. Joseph Laffer, Mrs. Burke Cockran, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mrs. J. Franklin Bell, Mrs. Quesada, wife of the Cuban minister; Miss Rebecca Collier and Mrs. William B. Lamar, wife of Representative Lamar of Florida. Mrs. Lamar is one of the beauties of Washington society. The Countess von Bernstorff, wife of the German ambassador, wore white satin, with diamond ornaments and a tiara of rare gems.

### MRS. POTTER DEAD

Widow of Bishop Potter Succumbs to Bright's Disease.

New York, March 5.—Mrs. Ellenbeth Sorvett Potter, widow of Bishop Henry C. Potter, is dead at her home here after an illness of several days. She survived Bishop Potter only eight months.

Mrs. Potter, whose first husband, Alfred Corning Clark, left her an estate of several millions, was very much interested in charity, and it was through her interest in charitable institutions conducted by the Protestant Episcopal church that the friendship first formed which resulted in her marriage to the late bishop of New York.

So confident were her sons that their mother was in no danger of sudden death that they found three of them abroad, two, F. Ambrose Clark and Stephen O. Clark, in England, and a third, Robert S. Clark, in China. The fourth son, Edward S. Clark, was with Mrs. Potter when she died. The funeral services will be deferred until the arrival here of the two sons now in England.

Among the many charities in which she was interested were the Clark Neighborhood House, maintained entirely by her, and the Chapel of the Incarnation, built by her son, Edward S. Clark, in East Thirty-third street.

To Choose Burton's Successor. Columbus, March 5.—The special election in Cleveland for the selection of a successor to Congressman Theodore B. Burton has been set by Governor Harman for April 20, a proclamation to this effect having been issued.

## The Best Groceries

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50 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.25	25c Jar Honey, 20c
4 lbs. Choice Prunes, 25c	Mother's Oats, pkts., 10c
3 lbs. Plump Prunes, 25c	2 lbs. Fresh Chocolate Drops, 25c
7 10c-roll Toilet Paper, 50c	3 lbs. Iced Cakes, 25c
Quaker Wheat Berries, pkgs., 8c	2 lbs. Fig Newtons, 25c
3 Cans Joan D'Arc K. Beans, 25c	2 lbs. Vanilla Dots, 25c
3 Cans Best Tomatoes, 25c	2 lbs. Fancy Asst. Cakes, 25c
3 Cans Good Corn, 25c	2 lbs. Chaparrone Cakes, 25c
3 Cans Good String Beans, 25c	4 lbs. Coffee Cakes, 25c
3 Cans Good Peas, 25c	4 lbs. Ginger Snaps, 25c
3 Large Bottles Vanilla, 25c	4 lbs. Soda Crackers, 25c
2 lbs. Choice Roasted Coffee, 24c	4 lbs. Nic-Nacs, 25c
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## COL. ROOSEVELT IS HOME AGAIN.

Rests at Sagamore Hill After Seven Years as President.

### GREETED BY HIS NEIGHBORS

Railroad Station at Oyster Bay Illuminated and Hundreds of Fellow-Townsmen Remain Up All Night to Welcome Him Home.

Oyster Bay, March 5.—Citizen Roosevelt, free from all official cares, rests peacefully this morning in his own home on Sagamore Hill after having gone through one of the busiest weeks in his entire life—the final week of his seven years' administration as president of the United States. As an ordinary gentleman and lady of the land, instead of the first gentleman and lady of the land, the president and Mrs. Roosevelt journeyed from the nation's capital to Oyster Bay after the close of office had been lifted from the former's shoulders and placed upon those of William Howard Taft. It was in the most democratic manner that the trip from Washington to Oyster Bay was made.

At the end of the ten-hour journey, after a day of momentous events, the former president seemed somewhat weary, but was in the best of spirits. The long trip from Washington was delayed over three hours between that city and Philadelphia by the results of the storm.

Mr. Roosevelt's special train left Long Island City at 12:28 this morning and as he was more than three hours behind the schedule time he did not expect that his neighbors in Oyster Bay would remain up to greet him at the homecoming as they had expected to do. He was greatly disappointed, therefore, when his train reached Oyster Bay to find the station brilliantly illuminated with electric bulbs and Japanese lanterns while a big illuminated banner bore the words "Welcome Home."

Better than all there was a crowd of from 200 to 300 of his neighbors on hand, whom neither the lateness of the hour, the biting wind nor the snow-covered roads could deter from waiting to greet their famous fellow-townsmen.

### BAD AMERICAN MEAT.

Startling Report Made by London Medical Inspector.

London, March 5.—Startling allegations concerning the diseased condition of some recent consignments of American meat are contained in a report by Dr. Williams, medical officer of the port of London, presented to the city council at the Guildhall.

In a shipment of meat consisting of tongues, kidneys, liver, tripe, lamb plucks and sweetbreads, Dr. Williams reports that he found 628 sheep livers and 130 lungs diseased out of a total of 2,400. There were also 2,000 frozen carcasses on board this ship, of which 15 were minus the lymphatic glands. One carcass was affected with tuberculosis.

"There is no necessity," Dr. Williams says, "of removing the lymphatic glands unless with some specific object, and presumably in the case of the fifteen carcasses found without glands they had been discovered, on inspection in the United States, to show some evidence of disease."

Continuing, Dr. Williams points out that in the above consignment more than 600 cases of tongues, livers, plucks, etc., bore an official label indicating that they had been inspected and passed as sound in the country of exportation.

The city council decided to forward the report to the government board in order that the allegations may be brought to the notice of Ambassador Reid.

### CONSULTS ANTHRACITE MEN.

Important Conference Held by Lewis Today at Wilkes-Barre.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., March 5.—President Thomas L. Lewis of the United Mineworkers has arrived here from Philadelphia, where he had been in conference since Tuesday morning last, excepting that he spent all day Wednesday in New York. At both places he conferred with coal-mining representatives but he declined to state just whom he had interviewed. A conference of the executive officers of the three anthracite districts was held here this morning, to be followed by a meeting this afternoon of these officials and the national organizers who are now in the anthracite region.

### HAD THIRD DAUGHTER

Lucky Baldwin Leaves \$50,000 to One Hitherto Unknown.

San Francisco, March 5.—The will of the late E. J. (Lucky) Baldwin has revealed the fact that he had a third daughter of whose existence few were aware.

The youngest child of the famous plunger and horseman is Mrs. David F. Selby, wife of an Oakland candy manufacturer. She is well known in Oakland society and church circles, where she has made a notable record as a charity worker. Mrs. Selby profits to the extent of \$10,000 by the will of her father.

## PITTSBURG & LAKE ERIE ROAD DECIDES ON TYPE OF COKE CAR.

Officials of That Line Have Formally Approved Steel Car With Expanded Metal Sides and Are Receiving 1,500 New Ones—2,000 of Same Style Now in Use.



Style of Steel Car Adopted by Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad.

From the Weekly Courier. As already noted in The Weekly Courier, all the railroads doing business in the Connelleville region are preparing for bigger business. The Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad is providing itself with 1,500 new steel coke cars of a type approved both by shippers and consignees. These cars were ordered a few months ago from the American Car & Furnace Company at Detroit and delivery has begun.

The Pittsburg & Lake Erie road already has 2,000 steel cars of this pattern in service in its coke region trade and its officials believe they have as good a car, if not a better one, than any road in the region. It is a noticeable fact that all the railroads in the region are eager in their desire to improve conditions of rolling stock to the highest point of efficiency in order to be ready for the deluge when it shall come. Part of this policy was the recent announcement of the Pennsylvania railroad of the adoption of a new type of coke car, a full description of which was published exclusively in The Weekly Courier some time ago.

The Weekly Courier herewith presents an illustration of the standard coke car adopted by the Pittsburg & Lake Erie road. This car has three hoppers. It is typical of the Lake Erie cars now in use and the new ones ordered. The 2,000 cars of this pattern which the line has had in service have been in use for two years and have in that time thoroughly demonstrated their value as coke carriers. Coke shippers regard the cars as excellent for easy loading, meeting the general requirements as to height, length and carrying capacity. The three hoppers in the bottom insure quick unloading at the furnace and make the car a self-cleaning one.

The average time required in unloading these cars at the furnace, releasing the load entirely, and leaving no dust or residue in the car is one and three-eighths minutes. Pittsburg & Lake Erie officials state that record

tests have been made in unloading the car completely in 55 seconds, or less than a minute.

The expanded metal sides, or mesh, forming a portion of the walls of the car is considered a distinctive feature of their service by the officials. The openings in the mesh are not large enough to result in any loss of coke during transit, but are large enough to permit of an examination of the quality of coke loaded in the cars, all the way from the top to the bottom.

As officials of the freight department of the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad said in regard to this type of car: "After careful tests both in the regions and at unloading points extending over a period of two years, this car has been adopted as the standard coke car for the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad and additional orders for them will be placed from time to time as additional equipment is required or as the wooden cars or rack gondolas are retired."

### \$50,000 NECKLACE FOUND.

Greek Who Tried to Sell It Arrested in Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., March 5.—While trying to sell to a local jeweler a necklace which local experts say is worth more than \$50,000, John D. Selavinsky, a Greek, who for convenience calls himself Savis, was arrested. The necklace consists of a single string of sixty-three pearls, carefully matched and fastened with a clasp set with diamonds of unusual size.

Savis says he was employed by the Knickerbocker hotel in a position known as sidewalk man. He was sweeping refuse from the walk into the gutter and as he brushed it over the curb he saw the necklace lying in the gutter. He picked up the jewels, held it up to the light and examined it and then put it in his pocket.

He kept the necklace in his trunk after that, little dreaming, he declared, its real worth. He says it is the custom in his country for the holder of valuable to receive one-third of their worth and he thought the owner would make known his or her loss if the necklace was valuable. Not learning of any loss of valuable pearls, he concluded the find was of comparatively small consequence.

Necklace Belonged to Mrs. Helms. New York, March 5.—The police here, when notified of the arrest in Omaha of John Savis, said the jewels were probably those lost by Mrs. Otto Helms on or near the Hotel Knickerbocker on the night of Nov. 26 last. The value of the necklace has been variously put at from \$5,000 to \$50,000.

### ATTACKS VON BUELOW

Week Issued Today Severely Criticizes Imperial Chancellor.

Ezra, March 5.—A severe attack on Chancellor von Buelow, and a defense of Emperor William in connection with the alleged imperial indiscretions of last year is contained in a book by Rudolph Martin, which appeared today.

Herr Martin gives expression to many sensational assertions against Prince von Buelow, whom he accuses of misdirecting the emperor, especially in the matter of the interview published in the London Daily Telegraph.

### EQUIPMENT INADEQUATE

Trolley Experts So Report on Pittsburg Situation.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 5.—The state railroad commission has received the report of Stone and Webster of Boston, the experts who made an investigation of the trolley traffic situation on the lines of the Pittsburg Railway company.

The report indicates that the difficulties are due to insufficient equipment. It will be taken up by the commission next week.

### CRIME FOLLOWS CRIME

Burning of Barn Succeeded by Murder of One Family.

Saugatuck, Mich., March 5.—Mrs. Mary Baldwin was found murdered at her home two miles east of Saugatuck. Mrs. Baldwin was found dead by her son, who lived with her. Last Thursday night the Baldwin barn was set afire and their stock burned. It was not known that either Mrs. Baldwin or her son had enemies.

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## JUDGE DOES NOT AGREE WITH JURY.

Tells Somerset Jury That Man Should Not Have Been Acquitted.

### WERE NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

But Did Not Deserve to Go Free.

Judge Koser Hears Liquor License Applicants—Says the Closing Law Is Not Being Observed.

SOMERSET, Mar. 5.—On Thursday the jury in the charge of murder preferred against Joe and George Andrusko returned a verdict of not guilty. The prisoners were discharged, but Judge Koser stated to the jury, in his opinion, the evidence adduced at the trial did not warrant an acquittal. The Andruskos were charged, with shooting George Siskel at Jenson's No. 2, where the three men were employed in the mines. There was a fight in the barroom of the Hotel Stein on January 10, and as Siskel ran away someone shot him in the body three times. The case has been on trial for several days.

Judge Koser today heard the applications for liquor licenses. There were 73 applicants for retail licenses, three for brewers' license and five for distillers' license.

There were three remonstrances against the granting of retail licenses. The first is against George Lochrie, who applied for a license for a new hotel to be constructed between Jenson's No. 2 and Bowtell. The second remonstrance is against William H. Bowser of Meyersdale, who wants a license for a new hotel, the Bowser House. A remonstrance was also filed against Francis L. O'Connor, who applied for a retail license at Seaton.

After hearing all the petitions, Judge Koser took his papers and announced that he will hand down his decisions at an early date.

Judicial notice was taken of the fact that the constable of Bowtell has made a return of selling liquor after hours against Ferd. Sann, proprietor of the Somerset House at Bowtell.

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Hogs—Receipts of hogs 10 double decker, market active and higher. Prime heavy hogs, \$8.35@8.75; medium, \$6.90@8.35; heavy Yorkers, \$8.50@8.90; light Yorkers, \$6.40@6.50.

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## FAYETTE COUNTY'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE FEDERAL ADMINISTRATION.

By John S. Rittner, in Pittsburgh Dispatch.

The re-entry of Philander Chase Knox on March 4 to the Cabinet of a President of the United States lends timeliness to the statement that Fayette county, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Knox was born, will after the 14th prox. have contributed three Senators to the upper branch of the Federal Congress and two Cabinet Ministers to Federal administration.

The Senators were Albert Gallatin, Daniel Sturgeon, and Mr. Knox. The Cabinet Ministers, Messrs. Gallatin and Knox. Of the three, Mr. Knox is the only native of the county. But it was the home of the other two for much the greater part of their lives. While Mr. Gallatin was elected to the Senate on February 23, 1793, and took his seat therein on December 2 of the same year, he was deprived of his seat by the Senate on February 12, 1804, on the ground that he had not been long enough a citizen of this country to fulfill the law as to Senatorial qualifications on this point.

Born in Geneva, Switzerland, in 1761, and Senator-elect of the United States from Pennsylvania in 1793, at the age of 32, would be accounted a "big room" politically even in our swift days. But Gallatin was a very young man even in his thirties. All through his life he reflected distinguished credit upon his adopted State and country. When he settled west of the Alleghenies, after his experiences in New England, he made his home at a spot in Fayette county, on the banks of the Monongahela, which he named New Geneva, in honor of his native city.

His first political office was as a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature from Fayette county in 1790-1802. Then followed his election to the Federal Senate. After his exclusion therefrom, he was, in October, 1794, re-elected to the Pennsylvania Legislature from Fayette county. At the same poll he was also chosen to the Lower House of the Federal Congress to represent the district composed of Allegheny and Washington counties.

On January 5, 1795, his election to the State Legislature was declared void, but his constituents promptly re-elected him, and the following month, February 14, he got his seat. On March 12 he obtained leave of absence, and it does not appear that he ever again took part in the proceedings of that session. He took his seat as a member of the Fourth Congress on December 7, 1795.

The further public service of this statesman may be summarized in these brief sentences: February 18, 1801, he was appointed by President Jefferson to be Secretary of the Treasury, which office he filled until 1805. In 1805 was one of the commissioners who negotiated the Treaty of Ghent, 1814, Minister to France, 1802; Minister to England, in 1804, at the age of 39. President Tyler offered him the Secretaryship of the Treasury, which he declined with the statement that his acceptance of so important a post at that period of his life would be an act of insanity. That must have "stung" Tyler a bit. Mr. Gallatin died August 12, 1845, in New York City, where his bones lie in the old graveyard of Trinity Church.

It is not generally known that the family of Justus S. L. Mestrezat, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, is related to the Gallatin family. The Mestrezats were induced to migrate to this county by Mr. Gallatin, and they planted their family tree in Greene county, not far from the Gallatin home at New Geneva, and there some of them still live.

The career of Dr. Daniel Sturgeon, second Federal Senator from Fayette county, was in length of service almost as protracted as that of Mr. Gallatin. But it was as Treasurer of Pennsylvania during the "Bucksbot War" that he achieved his greatest distinction. He was born in Adams county, Pennsylvania, October 27, 1739. He died in Uniontown, July 2, 1818. After graduating from Washington College he practiced medicine. He shifted his office to Greensboro on the Monongahela river, for a year, and then returned to Uniontown. He was elected from Fayette county to sit in the Legislature of 1810 and served three terms. In 1825 he was elected to the State Senate, of which he was Speaker during 1827-8.

In 1820 he was Auditor General of the State under Governor Wolfe. Was State Treasurer in 1828-9. In 1840 was elected to the United States Senate for the term which began March 4, 1841, the term having fallen in the previous year because of the "Bucksbot War." He was re-elected Senator in 1845 and served until 1851. In 1853 he was appointed by President Pierce Treasurer of the United States Mint in Philadelphia and held the office until 1858, when he retired from public life.

In the Senate he had been the associate of Benton, Webster, Clay, Calhoun, Wright, Buchanan, William Allen and Simon Cameron. He was an industrious and careful worker, but no speaker, and his indisposition to engage in the talkative of his time gained him the sobriquet of the "silent Senator." It was probably just as well. Whatever fame belongs generally to most of his colleagues in the Senate of his time is as much his as theirs. The fearless glory went to the few.

But, nevertheless, Dr. Sturgeon was an able man, deeply rooted in his convictions, and of emphatic moral courage. Physically he was a striking figure, exceptionally handsome of face, large, portly, dignified and graceful, and ever courteous. He was of the

kind of whom, seen for the first time, it is always, "Who is he?" Dr. Sturgeon's service to his State is accounted by some as of more value than his services to the Nation. He is credited with having brought the Bucksbot War to a close by refusing to honor an order by Governor Ritner on the State Treasurer for \$20,000 with which to pay the troops. It is easier to begin a war than to end one. If Dr. Sturgeon terminated the Bucksbot War simply by declining to produce the cash necessary to carry it on (the story says he did) he performed a notable public service. "Fearing that the Governor or somebody else might undertake to get the \$20,000 from the Treasury, he was looking for Dr. Sturgeon set a guard about the vault and himself personally attended to overseeing the guard that it didn't fall down in watchfulness. The money was kept in the treasury and the war was petered out.

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But this was not effected until the two Houses had held local one meeting separately, the Democrats in the Capitol and Whigs on the Capitol lawn. Between the withholding by Sturgeon of the "stewards of war" and the successful playing of politics by the Democrats the Bucksbot War terminated without any loss of life. "No Senator was chosen at this session, but at the next one the plume fell into the lap of Treasurer Sturgeon. It was his reward for the courage and decisiveness of character shown in the Bucksbot War. Among the literary effects of his heroic unpublished letter from Albert Gallatin, written to the Senator when Gallatin was 87 years old, the year before he died:

New York, Dec. March, 1848. Dear Sir—I have been, though with great diffidence, to submit to your consideration a paper, a copy of which I have sent you by express. I have the honor to be acquainted with you, and I am sure that on this occasion my name be kept altogether out of view. I have been, however, somewhat disappointed with you on the late occasion, if I cannot but entertain a kind regard for the Representative of the State of Pennsylvania who comes from that country in which I spent the happiest days of my youth, and to which I am so deeply indebted for having taken me up, adopted me and opened my public career.

Please accept assurance of my high consideration and of my great personal regard. Respectfully yours, ALBERT GALLATIN. The Honorable Daniel Sturgeon, United States Senator, Philadelphia.

The domestic affliction referred to was the loss of Senator Sturgeon's son, John, at Pueblo, Mexico, on July 27, 1847, during the Mexican War. He was First Lieutenant of Company H, Second Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers.

The only public office held by P. C. Knox prior to his appointment to the United States Senate by Governor Pennypacker to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Quay was that of Assistant United States District Attorney at Pittsburgh, when his chief was that remarkable man, H. Bucher Swope of Clearfield county, whose courage, audacity, ambition, logical knowledge and extraordinary willpower gave him a commanding position at the bar. Under his chief, Mr. Knox got his early training in the law, from 1872 to 1875, when he was admitted to the bar of Allegheny county. Thereafter he applied himself diligently to the pursuit of his calling, from which he reaped heavily both in profit and distinction. His eminence in the law led to his being named in 1887 with the presidency of the Pennsylvania Bar Association, a much prized mark of professional approval.

President McKinley chose him for Attorney General in his Cabinet in 1901, where he remained, after the Roosevelt succession, until June 30, 1904, when Governor Pennypacker appointed him to the Senate to succeed Mr. Quay. His career in the Cabinet was especially noteworthy because he made clear the fact that the Sherman anti-trust law and the common law provide ample material with which to successfully fight illegal encroachments and combinations of capital and corporations, as was illustrated by his notable victory in the Northern Securities case.

Mr. Knox qualified as Senator on December 3, 1904. On January 17, 1905, the Legislature elected him to fill the unexpired term of Senator Quay and also to the full term of six years from March 4, 1905. He was the choice of Pennsylvania in 1905 for the Republican nomination for President, receiving 44 votes from this State and 4 from New Jersey. While not picked for the honor he is the Premier in the Cabinet of the winner.

The community where Mr. Knox was born and reared contributed another Secretary of State to the nation, viz., James O. Blaine, who was born in West Brownsville, Washington county, directly across the Monongahela river from the town of Brownsville.

MAN ROBBED WHILE COUNTING HIS MONEY

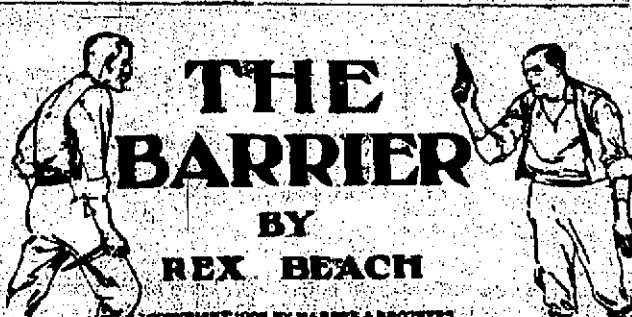
One Negro Takes Another Negro's Roll and Starts Away on a Marathon Winning.

UNIONTOWN, Mar. 4.—While standing on Main street near the West Penn depot counting his money, Charles Henderson, a negro street worker, was relieved of his roll containing \$20 by another negro, who is thought to be Ulysses Gray.

Henderson had received his month's pay and had just arrived in Uniontown when the robbery occurred. He had taken the roll of bills from his pocket and was in the act of counting it when it was snatched from him. The robber making a dash down Main street.

At alarm was raised and a mile, a number pursued the negro to Morgan town street, where he suddenly disappeared.

Henderson made information before Justice Daniel Blier yesterday morning, but Gray could not be located. Both men have worked at Pittsburg for some time, but Gray quit last week. He is considered a bad negro by the authorities, who have arrested him several times.



"By and by the captain got tired of trying and gave up the attempt. Just devoted himself to her and then we were transferred, all but him. We shifted to a better post, but Captain Jefferson was changed to another company and had to stay at Supply. Good. It was a rotten hole! Judgment had been used, and there he stuck, while the new officers cut him off completely. Just like the others had done, so I was told, and it drifted on that way for a long time, him forever making an up hill fight to get his wife recognized and always getting lower. His folks, back east, were scandalized and from him said, calling him a squaw man, and the story went all through the army, till his brother officers had to treat him as a madman in order to keep enough warmth in him to do his duty. The thing ended to a whole lot of trouble. He finally said to himself, 'After that headcut last long. They made it so unpleasant that he quit the service—crowded him out, that's all. He was a born soldier, too, and didn't know nothin' else nor care for nothin' else; as a man as I ever served under, but it sounded like a lie. You're different, but I never liked him. He tried to go into some kind of business after he quit the army, but he wasn't cut out for it and never made good as long as I knew of him. The last time I seen him was down on the border, and he had sure grown crazy. He had quit the squaw, was livin' with a greaser in Tucson."

"And do you think I'm like that woman?" said Nelia in a queer, strained voice. She had listened intently to the corporal's story, but he had purposely avoided her eyes, and could not tell how she was taking it.

"Of course," agreed Nelia again. "But what would happen to Lieutenant Burrell if—well, if he should do something like that? There are many half breeds here, I dare say, like this one girl, or like me."

She did not speak now as before. Instead her cheeks were pink.

"It would go a heap worse with him than it did with Captain Jefferson," said the corporal. "For he got more ahead of me, and I never thought but what you understood all this. Up here folks look at it right, but outside it's mighty different. Even yet you don't half understand."

"I'm glad I'm what I am," cried the girl. "There's nothing in my blood to be ashamed of, and I'm white as here. This ain't no secret, and I never thought but what you understood all this. Up here folks look at it right, but outside it's mighty different. Even yet you don't half understand."

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"You're afraid of these new people who are coming? Well, don't worry about that, miss. It wouldn't make any difference to me or to any of your friends whether you were red, white, black or yellow."

"But it would make a difference with some people," insisted the girl.

"Oh, I reckon it would with eastern people. They look at things kind of funny. But we're not in the east."

"That's what I wanted to know. Nice people back there wouldn't tolerate a girl like me for a moment, would they?"

He shrugged his shoulders. "I guess you'd live a hard time breaking in among the 'honorarys.' But what's the use of thinking about it? This is your country, and these are your people."

A morbid desire was upon her to track down this intangible racial distinction, but she saw Runyon, whom she could not bear, coming toward them, so she turned and hurriedly went on her way.

"Been making friends with that squaw, eh?" remarked Runyon casually.

"Yes," replied Stark. "She's a nice little girl, and I like her. I told her I didn't have any part in that miners' meeting affair."

"Huh! What's the matter with you? It was all your doing."

"I know it was, but I didn't aim it at her. I wanted that ground next to Lee's, and I wanted to throw a joit into Old Man Gale. I couldn't let the girl stand by and see me do that, and it's over I'm willing to be friends with her."

"Me too. By heaven, she's as graceful as a fawn. She's white, too. No body would ever know she was a breed."

"She's a good girl," said Stark manly in a gentle tone that Runyon had never heard before.

"Getting kind of mushy, ain't you? I thought you had passed that stage, old man."

"No, I don't like her in that way. I'll lay you a little eight to five that Burrell has thrown her down," chuckled Runyon.

"I never thought of that. You may be right."

It's true I'll shuffle up a hand for that soldier."

Meanwhile Nelia had passed on out of the town and through the Indian village at the mouth of the creek until high up on the slopes she saw Allana and the little ones. She climbed up to them and seated herself where she could look out over the westward valley, with the great stream flowing half a mile beneath her. She stayed there all the morning, and, although the day was bright and the bushes bending with their burden of blue, she picked no berries, but fought resolutely through a daze of thinking modes she attributed to herself in her delicate face. It was her first soul struggle, but in time the buoyancy of youth and the almighty optimism of early love prevailed. And so she was in a happier frame of mind when the little company made their descent at midday.

As they approached the town they heard the familiar cry of "Steam-bo-o-o!" and by the time they had reached home the little camp was noisy with the plaint of wolf dogs. There were few men to join in the welcome today, very, indeed, no Indian, having disappeared, and the animals came trooping gladly to the tank and sat down on their haunches, watching the approaching steamer, with their soft eyes the madness of a canine race of slaves.

The deserted aspect of the town puzzled the captain of the steamer, and having landed he made his way at once to John Gale's store, where he learned from the trader of the strike and of the stampede that had resulted. Before the steamer was unladen a man approached and spoke excitedly:

"Captain, my ticket reads to Dawson, but I'm getting off here. Won't you have my outfit put ashore?" He was followed by a group of fellow passengers, who made a similar request.

"This place is good enough for me" one of them said.

"Me, too," another volunteered. "This strike is new, and we've hit her just in time."

Outside a dozen men had crowded "No Creek" Lee against the wall of the store and were clamoring to "hear about his end."

Stark wasted no time. With money in his hands he secured a dozen men who were willing to work for him, for there was always those that spelt death to the devilish dandruff germ.

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Weak and Emaciated, Restored to Health by Vinol.

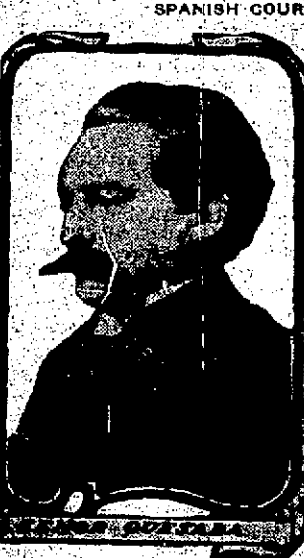
"Our little daughter, six years of age, after a severe attack of the measles, which developed into pneumonia, was left pitifully thin, weak and emaciated. She had no appetite, and her stomach was so weak it could not retain food. She lay in this condition for weeks, and nothing the doctor prescribed did a bit of good, and we were beginning to think she would never recover."

"At this time we commenced to give her Vinol, and the effect was marvelous. The doctor was amazed at her progress, and when we told him we were giving her Vinol, he replied, 'It is a fine remedy, keep it up.' We did so, and she recovered her health and strength months before the doctor thought she could." J. W. Flagg, Portland, Me.

Vinol cures conditions like this because in a natural manner it increases the appetite, tones up the digestive organs, makes rich red blood, and strengthens every organ in the body. Vinol is sold in Connelville by Graham & Company, Druggists.

CUBAN MINISTER REJECTED AT SPANISH COURT.

Spain has refused to receive Senator Gonzalez de Quesada, minister from Cuba because of sentiments he is alleged to have made regarding the Spanish people during Cuba's struggle for liberty. President Gomez has appointed Senator Veloz as minister to Madrid. Senator Quesada formerly was Cuban minister at Washington. He was in the Cuban army, as was Senator Zeller, but he was frequently quoted in bitter attacks on the Spanish people.



Thousands of men are daily growing bald and don't know it. Those persistent germs of dandruff, often called the destructive agents of the scalp, are in full possession of the future hair of thousands of Americans. They have wonderful endurance, these little demons, they never stop work, they dig and dig and dig and gnaw and gnaw right and day, and night, with seemingly on a purpose in view, and that purpose to destroy the vitality of the hair and make way for baldness.

What are you doing to protect yourself from the ravishing thorns of these almost un conquerable dandruff germs, or the dandruff germ will kill your hair. The quicker you start, the quicker you can win the battle.

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## STORM SWEEPS ATLANTIC COAST.

Washington and Baltimore Suffer Severely.

### WIRE SERVICE BADLY CRIPPLED

Inauguration Traffic Blocked, Thousands of Passengers Being Unable to Reach Washington in Time to Witness Ceremonies.

New York, March 5.—As a result of the March blizzard, which swept down unannounced, the Middle Atlantic seaboard from New York to Norfolk found itself buried in an avalanche of snow and swept by destructive winds. For a time here conditions seemed to threaten a repetition of the great blizzard of March 12, 1888, but there is promise of mild weather today.

For the telephone and telegraph companies the storm was one of the worst in years. Wires in all directions went down at the wind's first onslaught. For eight hours Washington, the central point of America for the time being, was completely isolated, and at a late hour the only means of communication between the capital and the outside world was over three crippled telegraph wires, one to New York, one to Atlanta and a third to Charlottesville, Va. No telephone or railroad wires between New York and Washington or Baltimore were working.

The worst of the snow-laden burr-ens struck a series of territories which included Washington and Baltimore. The region south of Philadelphia was well high a blank on the map for the greater part of the day. The Pennsylvania offices at Jersey City gave out the following:

"Latest reports from Perryville, Md., sixty miles below Philadelphia, state that for thirty miles beyond that point every wire is down. These lines include some of the best and most extensively constructed wires in the country."

Three lives were lost in the sinking of six coal barges at St. George, Staten Island. The dead were: Captain A. Markey of the barge Joseph Stickney and Captain William H. Ferguson and his wife of the barge George B. Eaton.

### BALTIMORE HARD HIT

Ten inches of Snow Ties Up Inauguration Traffic.

Baltimore, March 5.—Baltimore has had a vivid reminder of the blizzards which have visited this city at periods of a decade or thereabouts in years past. Almost the whole city lay under a network of fallen wires. Street car service was discontinued in all directions, a number of lines being out of commission altogether all day long.

Neither of the two telegraph companies had a single wire working out of Baltimore and the telephone service was badly crippled locally and altogether useless as to outside points. The storm caused the death of Policeman Thomas Worthington, who was removing a fallen dead wire from the street at McMechen and Mount Royal avenue when a live wire fell killing him instantly.

Thousands expecting to attend the inauguration were detained in this city. From all the companies came reports of trees and poles down across the tracks, and on the interurban electric lines the wiring was down in places. Ten inches of snow covers the ground.

While the railroad report conditions rapidly improving wire protrusion, however, is so complete that it will be several days before normal conditions are restored.

### SUFFERING AT CAPITAL

Terrific Weather Experienced by Inauguration Crowds.

Washington, March 5.—Much suffering was caused among the vast inauguration crowd by the wintry winds, the sleet under foot and freezing temperature. Two persons were reported dead as a result of exposure and many other persons are seriously ill.

All of the hospitals reported that they had treated numerous cases of exhaustion among persons who stood for many hours in the sleet and snow viewing the inaugural parade.

The congestion of passenger traffic here, such as the new Union station has never before experienced, was made vastly worse by the storm.

Both incoming and outgoing trains were from four to twelve hours late, creeping along behind each other like caterpillars because the crippled wire service made extreme caution most necessary. On this account a number of organizations which were to have appeared in the inaugural parade did not arrive.

Many Going to Europe. The leading steamship lines report many passengers booked for Europe for sailings in May and June. Space will vesicle in rapidly filling up. If you are going abroad you had better consult The Foreign Department of the First National Bank of Connellsville.

Peach Crop Injured. Reports from West Virginia say that the cold wave has injured many peach trees.

Read our advertisements carefully.

## THEATRE

### Polly of the Circus

The mythic world of red wagons and the contents are told in the majestic production of "Polly of the Circus," which fills an engagement at the Soisson Theatre on Saturday, March 6, matinee and night. The play is presented with Miss Fay Wallace in the leading part and a pretty love story is woven into Margaret Mayo's story. The play which is in three acts and six scenes, shows in sequence the study of a minister, a bedroom above the study, the rear garden of the parsonage, the interior of the big tent,

### A Knight for a Day

In the big musical comedy, "A Knight for a Day," which B. O. Whitney will send to the Soisson Theatre on Tuesday, March 6, a doting English father visits a young ladies' seminary at Devonston, Ill., to be present at the graduation of his daughter and in order to show his appreciation of the methods of the seminary has a case of champagne sent up. The result is a hilarious scene which brings the wings down, encounters one Harry Hamersley, masquerading as Jonathan Joy, a lawyer knight, with papers entitling the afore-



SCENE FROM "POLLY OF THE CIRCUS"

and the circus lot after the performance. The story tells of the loves of Polly, the pet of the circus, who, having suffered a severe injury in a fall from her horse, is carried into the parsonage adjoining the circus lot, and the young parson into whose heart she has been carried as well.

It is a deliciously interesting tale and beautifully conceived. The management has provided a very strong cast and a magnificent stage production. The cast includes Fay Wallace, Herbert Livingston, Edwina Saxon, Walter V. Milton, Cling O. Ford, Carolyn Lee and Betty Kingston.

and daughter to a large estate in Corsica. The near-knight signs for the champagne and secures possession of it but as he is about to place it in the excitement the head of the seminary happens along and he drops the champagne in the well. A little later the French chief of the school introduces the new servant lady to a new meat sauce, he has invented and it proves to be such hot stuff that she immediately feels the need of a cooling draught. She rushes to the well and pulls up the oaken bucket, which has caught the contents of the broken wine bottle, and what happens to her furnishes laughter for five minutes.

## GREAT BLESSING TO MANY PEOPLE.

Prescription That Is Highly Recommended for Elderly People Here.

### RELIEVES ALL KIDNEY TROUBLES

Simple Home-Made Remedy and How to Prepare it, if You Have Bladder Troubles or Rheumatism—No Better Kidney Medicine Known Says Druggist Here.

This is a simple home recipe now being made in all the larger cities through the newspapers. It is intended to check the many cases of Rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble which have made so many cripples and invalids and workings of some of our brightest and strongest people. The druggists here have been notified to supply themselves with the ingredients and the sufferer will have no trouble to obtain them. The prescription is as follows: Fluid Extract of Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Karoona one ounce, and Compound Syrup of Sassafras three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose is one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Recent experiments prove this simple mixture effective in Rheumatism, because of its positive action upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys. It compels these most vital organs to filter from the blood and uric acid which are the cause of rheumatism. It cleanses the kidneys, strengthens them and removes quickly such symptoms as backache, blood disorders, bladder weakness, frequent urination, painful scalding and the colored urine. It acts as a powerful stimulant to the entire kidney and bladder structure.

Those who suffer and are accustomed to purchase a bottle of medicine should not let a little inconvenience interfere with making this up.

### GAS PAYS ALL DEBTS

Unsuccessful New York Promoter Commits Suicide.

New York, March 5.—Made despondent by ill health and a collapse of a number of financial undertakings, Frank C. Hollins, a brother of H. B. Hollins, the well-known Wall street banker, committed suicide by inhaling gas.

The body of the man, who was sixty years old and until recently a patient in a sanatorium, was found in a room in West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, with a rubber tube firmly fastened to his mouth.

### A CLOSE GAME.

Rolls. By Teams of the Mercantile League Last Night.

The Amateurs and the Westmoreland teams bowled on the Temple alleys last night, the former taking two of the three games and losing the other by one pin. The score was as follows:

	Amateurs	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Planetary	192	162	183	147	584
Martella	239	148	167	120	674
McClough	198	148	164	160	670
Bell	192	158	120	110	580
Young	210	164	188	108	670
Totals	756	781	803	545	2985

Westmoreland

	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Collins	154	125	136	415
Crossland	158	117	163	438
Sweeney	139	148	167	454
Ittley	122	150	114	386
Reamer	140	128	111	379
Totals	713	668	660	2041

Standing of Clubs.

	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
B. & O. Clerks	118	11	203	332
Amateurs	116	12	220	348
All Stars	14	12	518	544
Westmoreland Grocery	9	13	233	355

### SCHOOL REPORT.

New Haven Schools Are Progressing Nicely.

H. George May, principal of the New Haven schools has compiled the report of the schools for the sixth month, which shows that the schools have been making steady progress, with good attendance of all the pupils. The largest number of visitors in the history of the schools was present on Patron's Day, when the visiting list totaled 194.

Following is the report, the first column denoting the enrollment, the second average attendance and the third percent.

	Enrollment	Average Attendance	Percent
1. Ella Berger	44	37	84
2. Ada Edwards	44	37	84
3. Elizabeth Burkholder	40	34	85
4. Myrtle McDuffee	40	34	85
5. Emma Huston	40	34	85
6. Fannie Patterson	40	34	85
7. Ella Davis	40	34	85
8. Fred B. York	40	34	85
9. H. George May	40	34	85
Totals	368	301	82

## RHEUMATISM

There is hope. I want every chronic rheumatic to throw away all medicines, all balms, all liniments, all ointments, all pills, all powders, all salts, all acids, all essences, all extracts, all tinctures, all decoctions, all infusions, all syrups, all wines, all beers, all liquors, all foods, all drinks, all remedies, all cures, all treatments, all operations, all surgeries, all medicines, all balms, all liniments, all ointments, all pills, all powders, all salts, all acids, all essences, all extracts, all tinctures, all decoctions, all infusions, all syrups, all wines, all beers, all liquors, all foods, all drinks, all remedies, all cures, all treatments, all operations, all surgeries, all medicines, all balms, all liniments, all ointments, all pills, all powders, all salts, all acids, all essences, all extracts, all tinctures, all decoctions, all infusions, all syrups, all wines, all beers, all liquors, all foods, all drinks, all remedies, all cures, all treatments, all operations, all surgeries, 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